

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/595,971 Confirmation No. 9993  
Applicant : Stuart Michael Humphrey  
Filed : July 2, 2007  
Art Unit : 1654  
Examiner : Niebauer, Ronald T.  
For : A METHOD OF INDUCING MELANOGENESIS IN  
HUMANS WITH MC1R VARIANT ALLELES  
Docket No. : 80-06  
Customer No. : 23713

Commissioner for Patents  
Mail Stop Amendment  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the minimum extension of time necessary  
so that the accompanying Amendment and Response to Office Action is timely  
filed.

It is believed that an extension of three months is required and that a fee  
in the amount of \$555 as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 for a small entity is due.  
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